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THE NEW TAX BILL.

As heretofore stated, a bill has been
passed by the legislature and signed by
the Governor extending the time for the
enforcement of the 5 per centum penalty
for non-payment of taxes from Dec. 1
to Jan. 1, 1904.

The law provides that all persons who
fail to pay their taxes by December 1,
of each year, shall incur penalty of 5
per centum. The bill recently passed
extends the time for the enforcement of
the penalty one month. The necessity
for the measure was manifested by
reason of the delay attendant upon get-
ting out the books, completing the as-
sessments and the payment of taxes,
leaving tax-payers with comparatively
short time in which to pay up. The
bill is as follows:

Be it enacted by the general assembly
of Virginia. That in each city, county
and district the penalty of 5 per centum
for the year 1903, provided in said sec-
tion 603, shall not be added by the
treasurer to the taxes on any property
or land listed in such city, county or
district until January 1, 1904, and the
treasurer shall not be required to report
to the auditor of public accounts the
taxes received by him for the year 1903,
until said January 1, 1904.

This bill does not apply to the capita-
tion tax, although no person who,
during the late war between the
States, served in the army or navy
of the United States or of the Con-
federate States, or any State of the
United States or of the Confederate
States, shall at any time be re-
quired to pay a poll tax as a prerequisite
to the right to register or vote. All
other citizens have to pay a poll tax as a
prerequisite to the right to vote. No
person who served in the Spanish-American
war is exempted by the above. In
order to vote at the election next June
the poll tax must be paid not later than
December 14.

CHARGES AND COUNTER CHARGES.

Dr. Jas. S. Strickland, of Roanoke, Va.,
told a sensational story before Judge
Martin in Philadelphia yesterday in
connection with his effort to recover
two children, who, he claims, were kid-
napped by his divorced wife. He says
that following his separation from his
wife the children were placed in a Balti-
more school. His wife had, he claimed,
signed a contract not to disturb them,
but afterward she carried them away
from the school to her father's home in
Philadelphia. This occurred on March
12, 1902, and it was not until two weeks
ago that he discovered their whereabouts.
He went directly to the residence of his
former father-in-law, S. T. Muffy, in
Philadelphia. "When I arrived at the
house," said Dr. Strickland, "I found
my daughter, Jeannette, playing out-
side. I placed my arm about her and
she took me into the house. It was
dark in the hallway and I had to
grope my way. Suddenly, from an
adjoining room I heard the voice of
my other little girl, Dorothy. This
put me, 'Oh, don't shoot him.' This
said me on my guard and as a door
opened in front of me I dashed forward
with both arms extended. I was just in
time to save myself for Mr. Muffy was
there with a cocked revolver pointed
straight at my head. With my out-
stretched arms I managed to grasp the
wrist of his hand holding the revolver.
I am much stronger than he is and wrenched
the revolver away. After I had done
so, however, he kept attacking me and
told me he would kill me then or some
other time." Dr. Strickland claimed
that while in Roanoke he kept a large
house and servants, but his wife per-
sisted in leaving him. Once he says she
was away nine months, and when she
returned, at his request, put heavy bolts
on the door of her room and regularly
locked him out. Dr. Strickland was
asked if a woman stenographer that he
had employed had anything to do with
his wife leaving him. He declared that
he had never heard any complaint on
that subject until it appeared in the
cross suit for divorce filed by Mrs.
Strickland. Mrs. Strickland replied to
the husband's charges yesterday, al-
leging that he was addicted to the use
of drugs and liquors and was cruel. This
he denied. The case is still on.

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The Lone Star State.

Down in Texas at Yonkum, is a big dry goods firm of which Mr. J. M. Haller is the head. Mr. Haller on one of his trips East to buy goods said to a friend who was with him in the palace car, "Here, take one of these Little Early Risers upon retiring and you will be up early in the morning for 'ing good.' For the 'dark brown' taste, headache and the logy feeling DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills to use. Sold by all druggists.

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Two styles Fancy Garters 25c and 50c.

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the things available for gifts at this

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